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THIRD NATIONAL GUARD REGIMENT IS NOW REALITY

Three New Companies Enlisted or Maui Bring Total Strength at Present to 2935 Men, Says Lieutenant Whitener

OAHU LEADS WITH 1300; HAWAII IS CLOSE SECOND

Sergt. Thomas Evans is Held Best Individual Rifle Shot in Guard, Army or Navy of the United States Since Victory

When 65 more men enlist in the National Guard of Hawaii, it will have an actual strength of 3,000 men. This notable fact was made known today by Lieut. W. C. Whitener on his return from Maui, where the efforts of Col. Samuel I. Johnson, the adjutant-general, have resulted in the enlisting of three new companies, making the 3rd Regiment, N. G. H., a reality.

On Maui there are now, including the old companies and the three new ones, 485 men. On Hawaii, the Big Island, the 2nd Regiment has 1199 men. On Oahu there are 1300 men, including the new Engineer Corps and the Philippine company.

This brings the total number of men in the National Guard of Hawaii up to the imposing figure of 2,935 men, which speaks more loudly than words of the activity of Col. Johnson, Lieut. Whitener and other National Guard officials.

Lieut. Whitener returned today from Maui, and reported the enlistment of the three new companies, one of 72 men at Paia, one of 50 at Wailuku, and a third of 72, at Kahului.

Col. Johnson and Lieut. Whitener made a record in the organization of the National Guard, which was formed in 22 hours, an achievement probably unequalled in the National Guard's history, in times of peace.

"Harry Baldwin, manager of the Paia plantation, helped us make the record," commented Lieut. Whitener. "He started his men out at 4 o'clock one afternoon with petitions, and by 2 o'clock the following afternoon there were 70 men signed up. Col. Johnson is there yet, and if he keeps going nobody knows where he'll stop."

Lieut. Whitener reported the old companies on Maui, I and L, to be very strong, with 106 men in the former and 135 in the latter.

National Guard headquarters buzzed with admiring comment today as a result of the phenomenal record made by the national individual match, Tuesday, Jacksonville, Florida, by Sgt. Thomas J. K. Evans, who won the match, as announced yesterday.

"This is a big achievement," said Lieut. Whitener this afternoon, "and it will reflect a big lot of glory on the National Guard of Hawaii. By winning the national individual match medal, Sgt. Evans demonstrates that he is the champion individual rifle shot of the service, both regular and volunteers in the United States. In order to win, he had to defeat a field of 750 competitors. We are all proud of the boy."

The team matches are being shot today, finishing tomorrow, and in them Sgt. Evans' marksmanship is expected to prove a big factor for the Hawaii team's success. If the local team should win first place, it will win the national trophy, a cash prize of \$450, and a bronze medal for each man on the team.

"Well Done, Tom" Is Message From Col. Sam Johnson

Cable From Adjutant-General Sent to Sgt. Thomas J. K. Evans in Florida

How space and time have been annihilated by the wireless and the cable was well illustrated yesterday and today in sending the news of the Hawaii rifle team's achievements at the Jacksonville shoot to Col. Samuel I. Johnson, the adjutant-general, now on Maui inspecting National Guard companies there.

As soon as the Star-Bulletin's exclusive wireless was received here yesterday, and a copy furnished National Guard headquarters, Chief Clerk J. K. Evans flashed a wireless to Col. Johnson, who is at Wailuku, Maui. This told how Sgt. Thomas J. K. Evans had won the national individual match medal, and Sgt. James Ho, 26th place, out of a field of 738 competitors.

To say that Col. Johnson was pleased would be putting it mildly. He was delighted. This morning he flashed a radio here from Wailuku, as follows: "Cable my congratulations to Tom and Ho. Well done, Tom. Signed, Johnson, adjutant-general." The congratulatory cable was sent to Jacksonville today.

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Big Guns, Big Vessels In Army and Navy Plan

Military Program Would Give U. S. 27 First-Line Battleships and 167 Submarines in 1925—16-inch Guns for Pacific Coast Defenses

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireles)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 21.—Further details of the far-reaching plans of the navy and war departments for national preparedness were made public today. The war department's recommendations to Congress will include appropriations for fortifications and 16-inch guns at San Pedro, California, and the Puget Sound forts, as well as additions at San Francisco.

The recommendations to be presented when Congress meets will include a million dollars as the basis for a naval laboratory ultimately to cost \$5,000,000. According to the program now laid out, in 1925 the United States will have 27 battleships of the first line, 14 of the second and nine reserves; six battle-cruisers, 15 scout cruisers; 167 submarines and 31 gunboats.

MILLION IS NOW SURE FOR PEARL HARBOR DRYDOCK

Proposed Appropriation Included in Special Plans for National Defense

PRESIDENT HAS SPECIAL INTEREST IN BIG WORK

Wilson, Daniels and Padgett Hold Conference; Decide Job is of Prime Importance

By C. S. ALBERT.
(Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 21.—The big drydock at Pearl Harbor has been formally and officially incorporated in the administration plan now being arranged for bettering the national defense. In summing up all the great works and improvements which must be given special consideration at the next session of Congress the completion of this project was not overlooked.

The matter of recommending \$1,000,000 for continuing work on the drydock came up at the conference held in the White House between President Wilson, Secretary Daniels and Representative Padgett, who will be chairman of the naval affairs committee in the next house. All three agreed that the million dollars for Pearl Harbor must be carried without reference to what other construction work went over in the interest of economy.

It had been previously understood in a general way that when Congress convenes and the appropriation bills come along for action the sum of \$1,000,000 would be requested for the drydock. Such an item would have to take its chances along with the mass of similar suggestions. Being now incorporated in the general plan of national defense it will occupy a preferred position. There is no doubt whatever of its prompt acceptance and adoption.

President Wilson has manifested an interest equal to that of Secretary Daniels in the drydock at Pearl Harbor. It is believed to be of utmost importance in formulating such plans as will adequately protect Honolulu from attack, and be of service to Pacific fleet vessels if at war with a foreign power. For that reason the drydock has been transferred from the ordinary appropriation bill to the general plan for national defense.

PERJURY CASES BELIEVED TO BE UP FOR PROBING

The cases of George Hieshima and K. Nakamura, Japanese who were committed by Circuit Judge Ashford on charges of perjury, were believed to be under investigation at a meeting of the territorial grand jury this afternoon.

The Japanese were witnesses for the prosecution in the Scully-Chilton conspiracy case, and were committed after they both had testified at length to the tune of "I don't remember, I forgot." It is also believed that the grand jury investigated the case of a Spaniard named Martinez, charged with larceny.

WIDOW'S DAMAGE SUIT IS UP FOR TRIAL BY STUART

Trial of the \$5000 damage suit filed by Ida Kamana against Bella Jones was begun in Circuit Judge Stuart's court today, and probably will not be completed until tomorrow or Monday. The plaintiff is the widow of the man who was killed in a machine driven by Libert Nakai near Fort Shafter about a year ago. It is alleged that the machine was owned by the defendant. Nakai was tried in Circuit Judge Ashford's court on a charge of manslaughter and acquitted.

A crowd of 125,000 persons witnessed a sham battle and maneuvers by the New York City forces of the National Guard at Van Cortlandt Park.

UNITED STATES QUITE HELPLESS, SAYS GOVERNOR

Hawaii's Executive Declares Country Has No Merchant Marine; Navy is Weak

COASTWISE SUSPENSION IS GIVEN ANOTHER RAP

Chamber of Commerce Adopts Report of Traffic Committee of Fifteen

Voicing his appreciation of the report submitted by the ocean traffic committee of 15, which came up for consideration at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce this afternoon, Governor Pinkham sent a short communication to that body. The report was submitted a week ago.

"It would have been a sorry day for the territory," according to the governor's views, "had the chamber by word or effort advocated the still further discouragement of our American merchant marine."

Four general ideas were submitted to the Chamber of Commerce in the report today, namely, to boost for another Matsonia, to drop the question of coastwise suspension, to advocate the coming of the Great Northern to Honolulu and to remedy the faulty booking system of local steamship agencies. The report was this afternoon adopted by unanimous vote.

Of the four suggestions, two are fairly obsolete in view of the fact that word has already been received here that a second Matsonia will be built, and that the Great Northern will be placed upon this run. The governor's communication was read by Raymond C. Brown, the governor himself being ill, and unable to attend the meeting. The letter follows:

"I desire to congratulate your organization on the outcome of your consideration of the transportation problem between these islands and the Pacific coast of the United States of America."

"You have illustrated the value of deliberation, reflection and consultation with the American factors of local sea transportation, rather than hasty action in behalf of alien shipping."

"You have had an opportunity to weigh the mightiest, excepting actual warfare, material international problem that can be presented."

"You see the United States of Am."

TAYLOR WANTS COLLEGE BOYS TO HELP BOOST

That the Honolulu boys now in college can do much to boost Hawaii is the belief of A. P. Taylor of the Promotion Committee. Mr. Taylor is at present revising the list of islanders in the schools and colleges in the mainland, and will ask their cooperation this year in bringing the good things of Hawaii before the people.

He received word today from P. Walter Kamaloipili, who is now in South Bend, that the work of promotion in Indiana is progressing rapidly, and that the people of the Hoosier state are beginning to realize what Hawaii is. He has given many lectures in South Bend and vicinity, and in his letter asked for new literature on Hawaii. Kamaloipili is at present boys' secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at South Bend.

NAVY MAN HIT BY AUTO.

Officer J. Perry today turned in a report to headquarters that he had been informed that a sailor named Sweeney from the Maryland was struck by an automobile last night and badly injured. The accident occurred in the Iwilei road and the machine, which carried license number 689, did not stop to render assistance. So far no arrests have been made, and Sweeney has made no complaint.

HOSTILE ARMIES SURROUND SERBIANS RUSSIANS IN SOUTHEAST WIN A VICTORY

THREE AMERICAN SOLDIERS KILLED IN BORDER FIGHT

Seventy-Five Villistas Attack Small Patrol Party; Arrival of Cavalry Forces Retreat; Villa May Quit the Hopeless Fight and Come to States

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireles)
BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Oct. 21.—A vicious attack on American soldiers, resulting in the death of three of them, was made early this morning at Ojeda Agua, on the border near here.

A patrol party of U. S. soldiers was attacked at 2 this morning by a party of 75 Mexicans who crossed the river and started a fusillade. Three soldiers were killed and two wounded, and a forty-minute battle resulted, with the small band of Americans standing off their assailants.

U. S. cavalry arrived then and the Mexicans hastily retreated across the river. They were white hat bands on which were inscribed the words, "Viva Villa."

NEW YORK, N. Y., Oct. 21.—Mexican Conventionalists have notified their leader, Gen. Villa, that his cause is hopeless and that he must stop fighting and come to America, it was learned today from Mexican sources. The Conventionalists say that unless Villa quits his guerrilla warfare, his leading generals will desert him. Villa is considering following their advice.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 21.—Gen. Funston, in command of the border troops, has recommended the formation of a border secret service, to acquire advance information on the raids to be attempted on the American side by lawless Mexican bands.

40 INJURED IN FERRY ACCIDENT

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireles)
NEW YORK, N. Y., Oct. 21.—Forty people were injured today in a bad accident caused by the crash of a Lackawanna ferry-boat into its pier in a dense fog. Many were thrown under the feet of horses which were being carried on the ferry.

GERMAN FORCES ARE DRIVING SERBS BACK

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireles)
BERLIN, Germany, Oct. 21.—Official:—The German forces are advancing today at an immense gathering assembly to commemorate Trafalgar Day, referred in emphatic terms to the execution of the nurse. "It is a crime which dwarfs even that of the sinking of the Lusitania," he said.

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PROBE CHARGE THAT LIQUOR WAS SOLD TO PERSONS ON "TABU" LIST

Charges of selling booze to a man on the "tabu" list, which have been preferred by Liquor License Inspector W. P. Fennell against the Progress salon, were to be investigated at a meeting of the board of liquor license commissioners this afternoon. The board also was to consider the application of Lee Chong, who owns a restaurant on King street, for a second class license with special privileges. It was understood that a protest against the granting of this license would be entered by the Anti-Saloon League.

REPORT R. W. BRECKONS MAY GO TO WASHINGTON

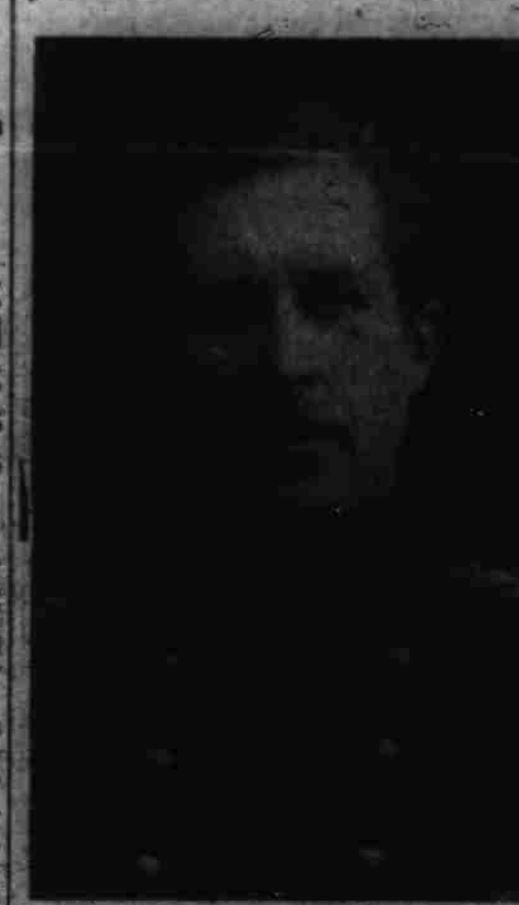
That Robert W. Breckons may go to Washington this winter as secretary to Delegate Kubio and possibly as representative of island commercial bodies is the report which has been going the rounds of political and business circles for some days past. Mr. Breckons, when asked about the report, said that he knows nothing of it nor of any representative to be sent to the capital by commercial bodies.

"I would certainly like to be in Washington this winter and may be there if I can arrange a vacation," he said. The rumor that he might accompany the delegate to Washington has been current for some time.

Another rumor in political circles is that Breckons may succeed Charles A. Rice of Kauai as Republican national committeeman for Hawaii.

Paul Freidrich Meyerheim, the noted German artist, died in Berlin.

"WON'T LOWER SWORD," DECLARES KING ALBERT



Above—King Albert of Belgium, who will not entertain peace suggestions while his country is occupied by Germany. Below—Pope Benedict, who wrote to Albert suggesting that he initiate peace steps.

WHITLOCK WILL REPORT ON CASE OF EDITH CAVELL

Britons Aroused By Story She Was Shot By German Officer For Aiding Escaping Men

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireles)
LONDON, Eng., Oct. 21.—The report of Brand Whitlock, American minister to Belgium, concerning the execution of a British nurse, Miss Edith Cavell, will be made public tomorrow.

The London Mail, commenting on the report, says that it "will strike a note of horror throughout the world." The bishop of London, preaching today at an immense gathering assembled to commemorate Trafalgar Day, referred in emphatic terms to the execution of the nurse. "It is a crime which dwarfs even that of the sinking of the Lusitania," he said.

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ADMIRAL JOSEPH PARKER DIES IN PHILADELPHIA

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireles)
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 21.—One of the best known officers of the navy died today, Admiral Joseph Parker, retired, medical director.

DR. DUMBA NEARS HOME

LONDON, Eng., Oct. 21.—Dr. Theodor Dumba, the Austrian ambassador who was recalled from the United States, arrived at The Hague today, under safe conduct guaranteed by the Allies and the United States.

Miss Margaret W. Crosby, aged 14, of Brooklyn, was drowned while bathing at Greenwood Lake, N. Y.

SLAVS TAKE POSITIONS NEAR BARANOVICH; KING ALBERT OF BELGIUM SCORNS PEACE IDEA

MONARCH OF PROSTRATE PEOPLE ANSWERS POPE HE WILL NOT ASSENT TO CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES NOW—BRITISH OPINION DIVIDED ON SUGGESTION OF PROPOSAL TO GIVE CYPRUS TO GREECE AS PRICE OF ASSISTANCE—PRESIDENT WILSON PROPOSES THANKS GIVING ON PEACE FOR AMERICA

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireles)
PARIS, France, Oct. 21.—Official despatches from Nish, site of the Serbian capital now, shows that the Serb forces are in great danger, with Teuton armies on the north and west and Bulgarians on the east and south. The railroad from Saloniki to Nish, which was to have brought the reinforcements of the Allies, has been cut in two places. The Serbians are awaiting the Allies with great anxiety. It is feared they will be cut off by the Bulgarians.

LONDON, England, Oct. 21.—Greece is still wavering between the announced policy of neutrality favored by King Constantine and active participation with the Allies, as favored by the war party, supported by the majority of the people.

Teuton diplomats are trying to secure from the Greek king or the new premier some statement of definite policy toward the belligerents as well as some statement on the new Balkan situation.

It is intimated that on account of the geographical conditions, which would hamper military assistance, treaty obligations between Greece and Serbia are difficult to maintain and that Greece is not necessarily bound to send armed aid to the Serbs.

President in Thanksgiving Decree Says America Blessed With Peace

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireles)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 21.—President Wilson today issued the annual Thanksgiving proclamation, which emphasizes the freedom of the United States from the war burdens of European countries. He declares that the United States is enjoying prosperous peace while the other great Powers are at war. He calls attention to the fact that America has been able to assert her rights both for Americans and for mankind, without a breach of friendship with the nations she has dealt with through critical times.

Russians Continue Progress in Baranovich Region; Take Prisoners

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireles)
PETROGRAD, Russia, Oct. 21.—Official:—The Russians have won another important victory in the series recently secured along the southwestern line, near the Galician frontier, where they are opposing the Austrians. In the Baranovich region they have captured several enemy positions and taken 3552 prisoners. Ten machine guns and a piece of heavy artillery have also been taken.

Belgian King Won't Urge Peace Now

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireles)
ROME, Italy, Oct. 21.—It became known today that King Albert of Belgium has answered with a decided negative a letter sent him by Pope Benedict, urging him to initiate steps for peace.

King Albert in his reply to the Pope declared that Belgium will "never lower the sword while the country is in slavery." He says that the Belgians will resist to the uttermost extremity any plan to secure peace while Germany occupies Belgian soil.

British Offer Draws Criticism

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireles)
LONDON, England, Oct. 21.—Great Britain's proposal to give Greece the island of Cyprus in exchange for Greek cooperation in the war, no matter what its outcome, are not universally approved here. Newspaper and other discussion shows that there is considerable difference of opinion. The main objection urged is that the offering of the valuable possession to Greece at this time savors too much of bribery.

British Vessel Losses Made Public

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireles)
LONDON, England, Oct. 20.—Official:—The total British merchantmen sunk by submarines up to October number 183. The total number of fishing vessels sunk in the same time number 175, it is announced.

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